

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Appln. No.: 10/089,678

Group Art Unit: 1653

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Examiner: Robinson, Hope

For:

PROTEIN HAVING PESTICIDAL ACTIVITY, DNA ENCODING THE PROTEIN,

AND NOXIOUS ORGANISM-CONTROLLING AGENT AND METHOD

STATEMENT OF AVAILABILITY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

We, SDS BIOTECH K.K. of 5-6, Shiba 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0014, Japan, do depose, declare and state that:

We are the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest of the invention described and claimed in the above-identified application, as evidenced by the Assignment recorded on April 3, 2002, at REEL 013042, FRAME 0235.

We agree that upon allowance and issuance of the above-identified application into a United States Patent, restriction on availability of:

Bacillus thuringiensis serovar galleriae SDS502 strain, assigned FERM BP-7667 which is designated in the specification of the above-identified application and was deposited under the terms of the Budapest Treaty at the National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science

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and Technology, Independent Administrative Institution at AIST Tsukuba Central 6, 1-1,

Higashi 1-Chome Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken, 305-8566 Japan, will be irrevocably removed.

We agree that the above-identified cell line designated in the above-identified application

will be maintained for a period of 30 years or 5 years after the last request for the deposit or for

the effective life of any patent which issues on the above-identified application, whichever is

longer;

We agree that if the deposit becomes non-viable, it will be replaced; and

We also assure access to the deposit to one determined by the Commissioner to be

entitled thereto under 37 C.F.R. § 1.14 and 35 U.S.C. § 122.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and

that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these

statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are

punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States

Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any

patent issuing thereon.

SDS BIOTECH K.K.

Date:	Nan	Name:	
		Name: Takashi Shirai	
		Title: President & Representative Director	

国際様式

INTERNATIONAL FORM

特許手続上の微生物の寄託の国際的承認 に関するブタペスト条約

下記国際寄託当局によって規則 7. 1に従い 発行される。

原寄託についての受託証

BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIO-NAL RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROORGANISMS FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE

RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT

issued pursuant to Rule 7.1 by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY identified at the bottom of this page.

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1. 微生物の表示

(寄託者が付した識別のための表示)

Bacillus thuringiensis serovar galleriae SDS502

(受託番号) FERM BP- 7667

2. 科学的性質及び分類学上の位置

1欄の微生物には、次の事項を記載した文書が添付されていた。

- 科学的性質
- 分類学上の位置
- 3. 受領及び受託

本国際寄託当局は、 平成 12年 7月27日(原寄託日)に受領した1欄の微生物を受託する。

4. 移管請求の受領

本国際寄託当局は、 平成 12年 7月 27日 (原寄託日) に1欄の微生物を受領した。 そして、平成 13年 7月 16日 に原寄託よりブダペスト条約に基づく寄託への移管請求を受領した。 (平成 12年 7月 27日 に寄託されたFERM P- 17979 号より移管)

5. 国際寄託当局

独立行政法人産業技術総合研究的工作である。

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Depositor

To NAME (APPELLATION)

SDS BIOTECH K.K.

President

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I. INDICATION OF MICROORGANISM

(the identification reference given by the depositor)

(Accession No.)

Bacillus thuringiensis serovar galleriae SDS502

FERM BP-7667

II. SCIENTIFIC DESCRIPTION AND/OR PROPOSED TAXONOMIC DESIGNATION

Documents describing items below were attached to the microorganism in Box I.

- scientific description
- proposed taxonomic designation

III. RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE

International Depositary Authority hereby accepts the deposit of the microorganism in Box I which was received on July 27, 2000 (the date of the original deposit).

IV. ACCEPTANCE OF REQUEST FOR TRANSFER

The International Depositary Authority accepted the microorganism of Box I on July 27, 2000 (the date of the original deposit). Subsequently, the International Depositary Authority accepted a request for transfer from the original deposit to the deposit under Budapest Treaty on July 16, 2001. (Transferred from the Accession FERM P-17979 deposited on July 27, 2000)

V .INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITARY AUTHORITY

APELLATION

:International Patent Organism Depositary

National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology,

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July 16, 2001